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# FFA NEWS

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## Ag. Boys Rate First In Seed Contest Veterans Continue Farm Work

First honor came Bailey's way at Watson Brother's Seed Farm January 14 as the chapter competed in Nash county's annual seed identifying contest.

Three senior boys—Gene Finch, C. D. Mullens, and Tommy Glover—along with their advisor, "Boss", represented Bailey. The team scored 2832 points out of a possible 3300.

### FINCH GETS 1030 POINTS

Gene Finch lead the whole district with 1030 points of 1100. He received one bushel of hybrid corn.

For capturing first place, Bailey received two federation banners, one of which circulates to the winning team each year.

### IDENTIFIES 50 SEEDS

The boys had to identify 50 different types of seeds. In addition there were four samples of four different seeds to be judged for purity and quality.

The agriculture class had been studying about 150 different kinds of seeds for one week before the contest. Some were actual plants and seeds preserved in celluloid cases and glass bottles while some were only pictures.

Following the contest was the federation banquet at Overtons in near-by Rocky Mount.

Unless changes are made, veterans in and around Bailey will continue their farm studies until July 27, 1955.

According to the G. I. Bill of Rights, anyone completing three years of service is due four years of schooling.

At present, under the leadership of Willard Meacombs and Willard Perry, the veterans are studying the new yearly farm plans and are completing records for last year's farm programs.

## Freshmen Begin Shop Work

As the new year opened, the freshmen boys began shop work.

Until the Christmas holidays, they studied working lumber bills and the use and care of tools.

Occasionally, during their spare time, freshmen boys have constructed shoe shine boxes or other easy articles, as bird houses and what-nots.

For their first class project, each boy is constructing a nail box.

"It will be interesting to see which brat builds the best one" comments "Boss", their instructor.

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